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Critical Intelligence Problems Committee

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Eloise R. Page
Chairman

SUBJECT: International Narcotics Study: Follow-up Report

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1. The CIPC International Narcotics Study was approved by you and the NFIC with the requirement for the CIPC to review and report within six to 12 months on the status and results of implementation of the study's recommended actions.

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2. The CIPC follow-up report documenting the current status and results of implementation is at Tab A. To date, 81 percent of the 59 recommendations contained in the study have either been or are in the process of being implemented. To quote the Treasury representative, "we have made a quantum jump when compared to where we were just a few short years ago." This sentiment was echoed by the DIA CIPC member who acknowledged that his agency had evolved from a very reluctant participant to one that today actively collects and analyzes narcotics intelligence.

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3. The CIPC principals focused on two issues during the process of approving the study--how better to measure our efforts in terms of the quality of reporting and how to assess and then deal with the countermeasures being taken by the drug traffickers against the US drug control effort.

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4. The accomplishments of the Intelligence Community in the past two years is impressive, but with the dynamic nature and magnitude of the narcotics threat we would be deluding ourselves if we concluded that the advances thus far have substantially and directly reduced the flow of illegal drugs into this country. It is fair to say, however, that the Intelligence Community's contribution to the overall campaign against narcotics trafficking is making a difference. To sustain and even enhance that contribution, the Intelligence Community must be able to respond to a number of relatively new and potential challenges that are discussed in the follow-up report. [REDACTED]

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5. It is recommended that you sign the memorandum at Tab B which forwards the CIPC follow-up report to the NFIC principals for their information and encourages their continuing efforts against this intelligence problem. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Eloise R. Page [REDACTED]

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NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D C. 20505

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MEMORANDUM FOR NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE COUNCIL

SUBJECT: International Narcotics Study: Follow-up Report [REDACTED]

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1. The attached CIPC follow-up report on the status and results of implementing the recommendations contained in the Narcotics Study is provided for your information and use as appropriate. [REDACTED]

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2. You will note that 81 percent of the study's recommendations have either been or are in the process of being implemented. The Intelligence Community's capability to address this problem has improved significantly during the past two years. Given the magnitude and dynamics of this intelligence problem, it is a tribute to the Intelligence Community that major strides have been made. [REDACTED]

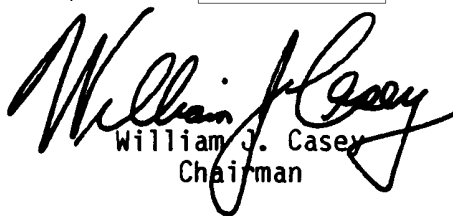
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3. The follow-up report also documents a number of areas in which intelligence challenges persist. However, I am confident that as your respective organizations implement fully the recommendations contained in the CIPC Narcotics Study and Follow-up Report, we shall be better able to meet these challenges. [REDACTED]

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4. Finally, I should like to take this opportunity to thank the CIPC for an excellent job. The Committee's efforts have contributed significantly to improving our intelligence position on the problem. [REDACTED]

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William J. Casey
Chairman

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